

## CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

**Title of publication:** Rise Of The Footsoldier

**Other known title (s):** Rise Of The Foot Soldier

**OFLC ref:** 802429

**Medium:** Blu-ray disc

**Distributor:** Leader Home Entertainment

**Director:** Julian Gilbey

**Producer:** Michael Loveday

**Country of origin:** United Kingdom

**Language:** English

**Applicant:** Film & Video Labelling Body

<b>Classification:</b>	Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years.
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**Excisions:** No excisions recommended

**Descriptive note:** Sadistic violence, drug use, offensive language and sex scenes.

**Display conditions:** None

**Date of entry in Register:** 13 January 2009

**Date of direction to issue a label:** 12 January 2009

	Components	Running time
<b>Menu:</b>	Play Movie Scenes Audio Setup Extras	
<b>Feature(s):</b>	Rise Of The Footsoldier	118:59
<b>Timed component(s):</b>	Warning Notice Eagle Entertainment Notice	0:08 0:06

	Filming The Footsoldier: The Making Of The Rise Of The Footsoldier	77:31
	Rise Of The Footsoldier: Interview With Carlton Leach	21:29
	Deleted & Extended Scenes (x26)	29:28
	Coralie Rose As Denny	7:14
	Mitchell Lewis As Kemal Baran	5:30
	Callback With Ricci Harnett As Carlton Leach	2:27
	Dhafer L'Aberdine As Emre Baran	3:25
	Stuart Moore As Bill Gardner	2:16
	Out Takes	18:02
	Rise Of The Footsoldier	1:39
	The Air I Breathe	2:26
	Finding Amanda	2:19
	Boarding Gate	1:47
	The Lost	2:27
	Boston Strangler	1:12
<b>Untimed component(s):</b>	Audio Commentary With Director Julian Gilbey And Writer William Gilbey Photo Gallery	
<b>Total running time:</b>		298:25

#### **Summary of reasons for decision:**

The Blu-ray disc contains a feature originally examined as a DVD by the Office of Film and Literature Classification (OFLC No. 801614, registered 5 September 2008). This DVD was classified "Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years", with the descriptive note "Sadistic violence, drug use, offensive language and sex scenes".

The additional components on the Blu-ray disc are made up of audio commentary, extensive behind-the-scenes footage, 26 deleted and extended scenes, and a photo gallery, as well as five character auditions, out takes, and six trailers advertising an eclectic range of DVDs. These extra components deal with matters of sex, crime, cruelty, violence, and highly offensive language in a similar manner to those in the DVD version. As such the additional content does not significantly alter the dominant effect of the publication as a whole. These components do not require the Blu-ray disc to be given a different classification to the DVD.